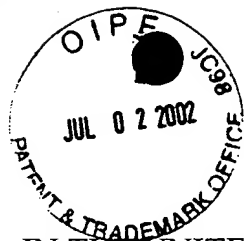


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Responsive to the Official Action of April 5, 2002, reconsideration and withdrawal
of the rejections made therein are respectfully requested, in view of the following
amendments and remarks.

Inasmuch as the Official Action sets a three-month shortened statutory period which
expires July 5, 2002, this Amendment is being timely filed and no extension of time is
believed necessary. However, if an extension is deemed by the Patent and Trademark Office
to be necessary, the same is hereby requested and the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby
authorized to charge any necessary fees in connection therewith or any fees necessary to
preserve the pendency of this application to deposit account No. 19-0089.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in the above-captioned application.

- ☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ A Request for Extension of Time.
- ☐ No Additional Fee.
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The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17, including any required extension of time fees in any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for extension of time for its timely submission (37 CFR 1.136)(a)(3).

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